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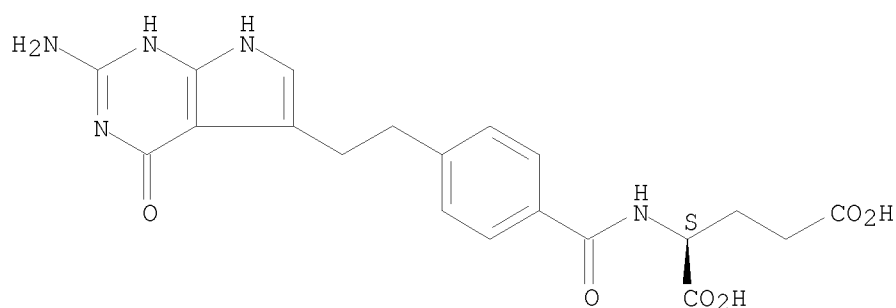
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L3 ANSWER 1 OF 8 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2007:923137 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 148:372896

TITLE: Dose-dependent effects of (anti)folate preinjection on 99mTc-radiofolate uptake in tumors and kidneys

AUTHOR(S): Mueller, Cristina; Schibli, Roger; Forrer, Flavio; Krenning, Eric P.; de Jong, Marion

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Nuclear Medicine, Erasmus MC, Rotterdam, 3015 CE, Neth.

SOURCE: Nuclear Medicine and Biology (2007), 34(6), 603-608
CODEN: NMBIEO; ISSN: 0969-8051

PUBLISHER: Elsevier Inc.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Introduction: The folate receptor (FR) is frequently overexpressed in tumors and can be targeted with folate-based (radio)pharmaceuticals. However, significant accumulation of radiofolates in FR-pos. kidneys represents a drawback. We have shown that preadministration of the antifolate pemetrexed (PMX) significantly improved the tumor-to-kidney ratio of radiofolates in mice. The aim of this study was to investigate the dose dependence of these effects and whether the same results could be achieved with folic acid (FA) or 5-methyl-tetrahydrofolate (5-Me-THF). Methods: Biodistribution was assessed 4 h postinjection of the organometallic 99mTc-picolyamine monoacetic acid folate in nude mice bearing FR-pos. KB cell tumor xenografts. PMX (50-400 µg/mouse) was injected 1 h previous to radioactivity. The effects of FA and 5-Me-THF (0.5-50 µg/mouse) were investigated likewise. Tissues and organs were collected and counted for radioactivity and the values tabulated as percentage of injected dose per g tissue (% ID/g). Results: PMX administration reduced renal retention (<1.6% ID/g vs. control: >10% ID/g), while the tumor uptake (average 1.35% ± 0.40% ID/g vs. control: 1.79% ± 0.49% ID/g) was only slightly affected independent of the PMX dose. Replacement of PMX by FA or 5-Me-THF (50 µg/mouse) resulted in a significant renal blockade (<0.1% ID/g) but at the same time in an undesired reduction of tumor uptake (<0.2% ID/g). Conclusions: Selective reduction of radiofolate uptake in kidneys under retention of high tumor accumulation could be achieved in combination with PMX over a broad dose range but not with FA or 5-Me-THF.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2007:654988 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 147:377847

TITLE: A Randomized, Double-Blind, Phase II Study of Two Doses of Pemetrexed as First-Line Chemotherapy for Advanced Breast Cancer

AUTHOR(S): Llombart-Cussac, Antonio; Martin, Miguel; Harbeck, Nadia; Anghel, Rodica M.; Eniu, Alexandra E.; Verrill, Mark W.; Neven, Patrick; De Greve, Jacques; Melemed, Allen S.; Clark, Romnee; Simms, Lorinda; Kaiser, Christopher J.; Ma, Doreen

CORPORATE SOURCE: Hospital Universitario Arnau Vilanova, Lleida, Spain

SOURCE: Clinical Cancer Research (2007), 13(12), 3652-3659
CODEN: CCREF4; ISSN: 1078-0432

PUBLISHER: American Association for Cancer Research

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB PURPOSE: Pemetrexed has shown varied response rates in advanced breast cancer. This randomized, double-blind, phase II study was conducted to assess the efficacy and safety of two doses of pemetrexed in a homogeneous population. A secondary objective was to identify mol. biomarkers correlating with response and toxicity. Exptl. DESIGN: Patients with newly diagnosed metastatic breast cancer or locally recurrent breast cancer received 600 mg/m² (P600 arm) or 900 mg/m² (P900 arm) of pemetrexed on day 1 of a 21-day cycle. All patients received folic acid and vitamin B12 supplementation. RESULTS: The P600 (47 patients) and P900 (45 patients) arms had response rates of 17.0% (95% confidence interval, 7.7-30.8%) and 15.6% (95% confidence interval, 6.5-29.5%) with .apprx.50% stable disease per arm, median progression-free survival of 4.2 and 4.1 mo, and median times to tumor progression of 4.2 and 4.6 mo, resp. Both arms exhibited minimal toxicity (grade 3/4 neutropenia <20%, leukopenia <9%, and other toxicities <5%). Tumor samples from 49 patients were assessed for the expression levels of 12 pemetrexed-related genes. Folylpolyglutamate synthetase and thymidine phosphorylase correlated with efficacy. Best response rates and median time to tumor progression for high vs. low thymidine phosphorylase expression were 27.6% vs. 6.3% (P = 0.023) and 5.4 vs. 1.9 mo (P = 0.076), and for folypolyglutamate synthetase were 37.5% vs. 10.0% (P = 0.115) and 8.6 vs. 3.0 mo (P = 0.019), resp. γ -Glutamyl hydrolase expression correlated with grade 3/4 toxicities: 78.6% for high vs. 27.3% for low γ -glutamyl hydrolase (P = 0.024). CONCLUSION: The two pemetrexed doses yielded similar efficacy and safety profiles. Exploratory biomarker anal. identified efficacy and toxicity correlations and warrants further evaluation.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006:1343787 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 146:197623

TITLE: A proposed clinical test for monitoring fluoropyrimidine therapy: detection and stability of thymidylate synthase ternary complexes

AUTHOR(S): Brody, Jonathan R.; Gallmeier, Eike; Yoshimura, Kiyoshi; Hucl, Tomas; Kulesza, Peter; Canto, Marcia I.; Hruban, Ralph H.; Schulick, Richard D.; Kern, Scott E.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Oncology; The Sol Goldman Pancreatic Cancer Research Center and The Sidney Kimmel Comprehensive Cancer Center, The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD, USA

SOURCE: Cancer Biology & Therapy (2006), 5(8), 923-927
CODEN: CBTAAO; ISSN: 1538-4047

PUBLISHER: Landes Bioscience

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LANGUAGE: English

AB 5-Fluorouracil forms classic (covalent, ternary) complexes consisting of thymidylate synthase, fluoro-deoxyuridine monophosphate, and 5, 10-methylene tetrahydrofolate. Despite a high pharmacol. interest in the classic complexes formed in cells treated with fluorouracil anticancer agents, the in vivo stability of the complexes and the possible interference in complex formation by other coadministered compds. have not been adequately described. We visualized classic complexes unaccompanied by unbound thymidylate synthase, inferring complete enzymic inhibition, in 5-fluorouracil-treated *S. cerevisiae* and cancer cells in vitro and in murine tumors in vivo treated with 5-fluorouracil. Classic complexes persisted 13 days in cancer cells after a pulse of 5-fluorouracil. Classic complexes were reduced to absent in cancer cells in which the older antifolates methotrexate and aminopterin,

or the modern antifolates pemetrexed and tomudex, were coadministered with 5-fluorouracil. Classic complexes were, however, detected when an alternate drug, 5-fluorodeoxyuridine, was administered with methotrexate. We visualized classic complexes at fifteen minutes to seven days after an acute single dose of 5-fluorouracil in mouse tumor models, in tumors and normal tissues. Using the same assay, we detected unbound thymidylate synthase in untreated human tissues, supporting the future use of this assay in evaluating the most appropriate dose of fluoropyrimidine and coadministered agents in clin. settings.

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L3 ANSWER 4 OF 8 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006:485104 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 145:431762

TITLE: Computer modelling of antifolate inhibition of folate metabolism using hybrid functional petri nets

AUTHOR(S): Assaraf, Yehuda G.; Ifergan, Ilan; Kadry, Wisam N.; Pinter, Ron Y.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Biology, The Technion-Israel Institute of Technology, Technion, Haifa, 32000, Israel

SOURCE: Journal of Theoretical Biology (2006), 240(4), 637-647
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LANGUAGE: English

AB Antifolates are used in the treatment of various human malignancies and exert their cytotoxic activity by inhibiting folate-dependent enzymes resulting in disruption of DNA synthesis and cell death. Here we devised a computerized hybrid functional petri nets (HFPN) modeling of folate metabolism under physiol. and antifolate inhibitory conditions. This HFPN modeling proved valid as a good agreement was found between the simulated steady-state concns. of various reduced folates and those published for cell exts.; consistently, the simulation derived total folate pool size (11.3 μM) was identical to that published for cell exts. In silico expts. were conducted to characterize the inhibitory profile of four distinct antifolates including methotrexate (MTX), tomudex, and LY309887, which inhibit dihydrofolate reductase (DHFR), thymidylate synthase (TS) and glycineamide ribonucleotide transformylase (GARTFase), resp., as well as pemetrexed which has the capacity to inhibit all three enzymes. In order to assess the inhibitory activity of antifolates on purines and pyrimidines, the biosynthesis rates of IMP (20.53 $\mu\text{M}/\text{min}$) and dTMP (23.8 $\mu\text{M}/\text{min}$) were first simulated. Whereas the biochem. inhibitory profile of MTX was characterized by increased dihydrofolate and decreased tetrahydrofolate (THF) concns., the remaining antifolates did not decrease THF levels. Furthermore, MTX was 766- and 10-fold more potent in decreasing the production rates of IMP and dTMP, resp., than pemetrexed. LY309887 indirectly decreased the rate of dTMP production by reducing the levels of 5-CH₂-THF, a folate cofactor for TS. Surprisingly, pemetrexed failed to inhibit DHFR even at high concns. This HFPN-based simulation offers an inexpensive, user-friendly, rapid and reliable means of pre-clin. evaluation of the inhibitory profiles of antifolates.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:601102 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 143:266886

TITLE: Synthesis of Classical, Four-Carbon Bridged 5-Substituted Furo[2,3-d]pyrimidine and 6-Substituted Pyrrolo[2,3-d]pyrimidine Analogues as Antifolates

AUTHOR(S): Gangjee, Aleem; Zeng, Yibin; McGuire, John J.;

CORPORATE SOURCE: Kisliuk, Roy L.
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AB The biol. activities of four-carbon-atom bridged classical antifolates on
 dihydrofolate reductase (DHFR), thymidylate synthase (TS), and
 folylpolyglutamate synthetase (FPGS) as well as antitumor activity were
 reported. Extension of the bridge homologation studies of classical
 two-carbon bridged antifolates, a 5-substituted
 2,4-diaminofuro[2,3-d]pyrimidine and a 6-substituted
 2-amino-4-oxopyrrolo[2,3-d]pyrimidine, afforded two four-carbon bridged
 antifolates, analogs, with enhanced FPGS substrate activity and inhibitory
 activity against tumor cells in culture ($EC_{50} \leq 10^{-7}$ M) compared
 with the two-carbon bridged analogs. These results support an original
 hypothesis that the distance and orientation of the side chain
 p-aminobenzoyl-L-glutamate moiety with respect to the pyrimidine ring are
 a crucial determinant of biol. activity. In addition, this study
 demonstrates that, for classical antifolates that are substrates for FPGS,
 poor inhibitory activity against isolated target enzymes is not
 necessarily a predictor of a lack of antitumor activity.

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 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Biofol AB, Swed.
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2004:363273 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 141:654

TITLE: Selective Preservation of Pemetrexed Pharmacological Activity in HeLa Cells Lacking the Reduced Folate Carrier: Association with the Presence of a Secondary Transport Pathway

AUTHOR(S): Zhao, Rongbao; Hanscom, Marie; Chattopadhyay, Shrikanta; Goldman, I. David

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AB A methotrexate (MTX)-resistant HeLa subline (R5), developed in this laboratory, with impaired transport due to a genomic deletion of the reduced folate carrier (RFC) was only 2-fold resistant to pemetrexed (PMX), but 200- and 400-fold resistant to raltitrexed (ZD1694) and Na-(4-amino-4-deoxypteroyl)-N δ -hemiphthaloyl-L-ornithine (PT523), resp., compared with parental HeLa cells when grown with 2 μ M folic acid. When folic acid was replaced with the more physiol. 25 nM 5-formyltetrahydrofolate, R5 cells were 2-fold collaterally sensitive to PMX but still 40- and 200-fold resistant to ZD1694 and PT523, resp. Sensitivity to PT523 and PMX could be completely restored, and sensitivity to ZD1694 nearly restored, by transfection of RFC cDNA into R5 cells, indicating that the defect in drug transport was the only, or major, factor in resistance. The preserved PMX activity in R5 cells could not be related to the very low expression of folate receptors. Rather, retained PMX activity in R5 cells was associated with residual transport by another process that exhibits good affinity for PMX (K_t = 12 μ M) with much lower affinities for ZD1694, MTX, and PT523 (K_{is} of .apprx. 90, 100, and 250 μ M, resp.). PMX transported by this route was rapidly converted to higher polyglutamates and, when grown with 25 nM 5-formyl-tetrahydrofolate, the rate of formation of these derivs. and their net accumulation in R5 cells was comparable to that of wild-type cells. These data suggest that selective preservation of PMX pharmacol. activity in RFC-null R5 cells is due, in part, to partial preservation of transport by secondary process with a higher affinity for PMX than the other antifolates evaluated.

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TITLE: Mechanisms of resistance of N-[5-(N-(3,4-dihydro-2-methyl-4-oxoquinazolin-6-ylmethyl)-N-methylamino)-2-thenoyl]-L-glutamic acid (ZD1694), a folate-based thymidylate synthase inhibitor, in the HCT-8 human ileocecal adenocarcinoma cell line N-[5-(N-(3,4-Dihydro-2-methyl-4-oxoquinazolin-6-ylmethyl)-N-methylamino)-2-thenoyl]-L-glutamic acid (ZD1694) is a folate-based thymidylate synthase (TS; EC 2.1.1.45) inhibitor.

AUTHOR(S): Lu, Kun; Yin, Ming-Biao; McGuire, John J.; Bonmasser, Enzo; Rustum, Youcef M.

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AB Metabolism to higher chain length polyglutamates is essential for its optimal cytotoxic effect. A ZD1694-resistant (300-fold) human ileocecal carcinoma cell line (HCT-8/DW2) was developed, and its mechanism of resistance was evaluated. TS activities in situ and TS protein levels in the HCT-8 parental line and HCT-8/DW2 were similar (168 ± 47 vs. 137 ± 25 pmol/h/106 cells and 2.05 ± 0.28 vs. 2.07 ± 0.19 pmol/mg protein, resp.). The IC50 values of ZD1694 for TS inhibition in cell-free exts. were similar in both lines, but the IC50 of ZD 1694 for TS inhibition in situ in HCT-8/DW2 cells was 27- and 268-fold higher than that in HCT-8 cells at 0 and 24 h, resp., after a 2-h drug exposure. Folylpolyglutamate synthetase (FPGS; EC 6.3.2.17) activity was significantly lower in resistant HCT-8/DW2 cells as compared with parental HCT-8 cells (88 ± 40 vs. 1065 ± 438 pmol/h/mg protein when ZD 1694 was used as substrate). The combined endogenous pool of methylenetetrahydrofolate and tetrahydrofolate in HCT-8/DW2 cells was also decreased. In addition, HCT-8/DW2 cells accumulated lower levels of methotrexate (MTX) in a 2-h period, although the initial velocity of MTX transport was similar to that in parental HCT-8 cells. The lower level of FPGS activity and the lower level of (anti)folate accumulation in HCT-8/DW2 correlated with drug resistance and with the higher IC50 of ZD 1694 for in situ TS inhibition. In addition, drug resistance was also correlated with the rapid recovery of in situ TS activity after drug treatment. In brief, in this highly ZD1694-resistant HCT-8 cells line, resistance is associated with decreased FPGS activity, which, in turn, affects the metabolism of ZD1694 and consequently the extent and duration of in situ TS inhibition by the drug.

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